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Utah Department of Oil, Gas and Mining
Attn: Tony Gallegos
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Dear Tony:

From a discussion with Doug Jensen of your office, it appears that the EA for the DG&T limestone mine proposal is not explicit concerning the disposition of the mine access road. The Ashley National Forest has decided that the road will become a Forest System road. Our priorities could change in the 30 or more years proposed for mining, but our plans right now are to keep the road as public access after the mining operation is completed.

If you have questions concerning this decision, please contact Chauncie Todd at (435) 789-1181.

Sincerely,

BERT KULESZA
Forest Supervisor

